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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL

LONDON.—F. AGAR, 11 & 12, Clements Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & CO., 36, Cornhill, GEORGE STREET & CO., 36, Cornhill, E. C. HENRY & CO., 37, Wallbrook, E. C. SAMUEL DRAKE & CO., 100 & 101, Leadenhall Street, W. M. WILKS, 101, Leadenhall Street, E. C. ROBERT WATSON, 150, Fleet Street.

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Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL, £260,000.

LONDON: Head Office, 40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office, 25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 3 " 3 " " "
" On Current Deposits, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

E. W. BUTTER,
Manager.

Hongkong, September 4, 1890. 1362

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVING BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No deposit may be made on more than \$250 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be produced with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
F. DE BOVIS,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1891. 764

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$9,206,677.07.
Reserve Fund, \$6,866,596.31.
Reserve Liability, \$9,206,677.07.
PROFITABLE.

GOVERNOR OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—J. S. MOORE, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—S. G. MITCHELL, Esq.
H. L. DAVENPORT, Esq.
T. DAVIES, Esq.
G. J. HOLLAND, Esq.
H. HERRICK, Esq.

ACTING CHIEF MANAGERS.
Hongkong, F. DE BOVIS, Esq.
Shanghai, JOHN WATSON, Esq.
London, BANKERS—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Orders granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

F. DE BOVIS,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 11, 1891. 363

Intimations.

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ISSUE OF 4,000 PREFERENCE SHARES AT \$10 EACH, FULLY PAID-UP.

THE DIRECTORS of the above-named Company have been empowered by Special Resolution of the Shareholders of this Company to issue 4,000 Shares of such proportion thereof as they may deem necessary.

These Shares carry a right to a cumulative preferential Dividend of 12 1/2 %.

In the event of the Company being wound up the Holders of these Shares will be entitled to have the Assets of the Company (after paying debts) applied in the first place to repayment to them of the amount paid for these Shares.

The Directors are able to state on information received from Sydney that the total amount of the Company's indebtedness is only \$15,000.

(The Balmoral property has been very favorably reported on by independent experts at Sydney, and the results of Crustings have been satisfactory—although the best stone has not yet been reached.)

Advices have been lately received from the Mine informing the Directors that there are more than 8,000 tons of tailings left by former workers ready to hand, and allowing for cost of treatment, Cartage, freight, &c., the gold should realize £2.00 per ton net. These tailings form an additional and valuable Asset.

The Public are invited to subscribe for these Shares and in the event of present Shareholders failing to apply the balance of Shares unapplied for will be allotted *pro rata* to the Public.

Applications for Shares are to be obtained from and to be Company's Bankers THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION in Hongkong, Shanghai and Coast Ports, on or before the 24th INSTANT, accompanied by payment of \$10 per Share for each Share applied for.

The Directors will probably issue not more than 2,500 of these preference Shares at par.

By Order of the Board,
K. A. STEVENS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, April 16, 1891. 790

STAG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

THIS HOTEL, situated in the most Central part of Hongkong, has recently been RE-FITTED and has Excellent Accommodation for Visitors.

The TABLE is always well supplied with the BEST ARTICLES of the Season.

WINES, LIQUORS, &c., of the very best quality only.

CHARGES MODERATE.

HING LEE & Co.,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, April 15, 1891. 782

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fourteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAI, on MONDAY, the 20th INSTANT, at 2.30 p.m., for presentation of the Report of the Directors and the Accounts to the 31st December, 1890, the election of Directors and Auditors for the current year, and for the purpose of transacting any other business which may be transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 20th INSTANT, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
ALEX. ROSS,
Secretary.

Shanghai, 1st April, 1891. 791

THE PUNJON AND SUNGHEI DU SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRAORDINARY General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1891, at 4 p.m., when the sub-Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held, and when the following Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held this Day the 8th April, 1891, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution:—

1.—To Cancel and eliminate from the Articles of Association paragraph No. 2 of "Article VI" and substitute the following in lieu thereof:—

2.—That the Directors in Meeting may increase the Capital of the Company "by the issue of Sixty Thousand Shares of One Dollar each, and the Company in General Meeting may from time to time increase the Capital by the issue of shares to such denomination as the Meeting may determine."

3.—To Cancel and eliminate from the Articles of Association paragraph No. 5 of "Article XIII."

4.—That the Articles of Association be amended by the addition of the following clause after paragraph 11 of sec. 16, viz:—

12.—"That the Directors may at their discretion abandon or surrender the whole or any portion of the Company's property, Sunghai, Du Samantan situated in the Malay State of Pahang, on such terms and conditions as they may deem fit."

5.—That in the event of the Directors "to issue the New Shares as Preference Shares, and that the holders thereof be entitled to a cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum."

6.—That in the event of the Company being wound up the holders of the said preference Shares shall be entitled to have the surplus assets of the Company applied in the first place to repaying to them of the amount paid-up on such preference shares. The residue of such surplus assets shall belong to and be divided among the ordinary shareholders of the Company."

By Order of the Board,
A. O'D. GOURDIN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, April 8, 1891. 723

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION! 9TH PRIZE MEETING.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE FOR SALE

MARTINI-HENRI-MATCH RIFLES,

LOADING and CLEANING SETS, FITTED CASES of PAINTS and REQUIREMENTS, FRONT and BACK SIGHT PROTECTORS, POCKET CLEANERS in CASES, VERNIERS, VENTOMETERS, BARREL BRUSHES, ORTHOPTICS, BARREL REFLECTORS, GUN OIL, CARTRIDGE BAGS, WIMBLEDON SCORING BOOKS, &c., &c.

WATERPROOF GROUND SHEETS, SHOOTING BOOTS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 25, 1891. 611

W. POWELL & Co.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S CHILDREN'S STRAW AND PITH HATS.

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 13, 1891.

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Exclusive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 19, 1890. 1612

ROBERT LANG & Co., TAILORS, GENERAL OUTFITTERS, &c. (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is now complete in all the NEWEST MATERIALS, comprising—A Large Variety of DRESS SUITING from \$40 upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, COATS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SILK, LISTS, THREAD and CASHMERE SOCKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c., &c.

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN HENRY SMITH, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Storekeeper, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the Chief Justice having in virtue of Section 5 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1861, made an Order limiting to the 9th April, 1891, the time for sending in CLAIMS against the said Estate.

All Creditors are hereby required to send in their CLAIMS to the Under-Signed before the said date, and all Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate are requested to make immediate Payment.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1891.

WOTTON & DEACON,
Solicitors for the Executors,
35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

HONGKONG DERBY, 1892.

THE WEIGHTS for the above RACE will be weight for inches, not 10st. 10lb. as heretofore.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,
Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, March 17, 1891. 648

CAMPBELL MOORE & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held on MONDAY, the 27th INSTANT, at 4 p.m., at the Hongkong Hotel, for the purpose of confirming the following Special Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders held on the 23rd March, 1891:—

- 1.—That the word Ten in Article 30, of the Articles of Association, be altered into Five.
 - 2.—That Article 54, be altered by substituting the following words for the Original Article.
"The Directors shall not be more than Five and not less than Three in Number."
 - 3.—That Article 54 Para 1, be amended by substituting the word Six, for the word Twelve in such Article.
- By Order of the Board,
J. Z. LEON,
Acting Secretary.
- Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 176

CALDECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,

Wine and Spirit Merchants, Ale and Stout Merchants, 13, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

Agencies in all the Principal Ports of China and Japan.

Hongkong, December 22, 1890. 477

Intimations.

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 525.

THE First Regular CONVOCATION of the District Grand Lodge ROYAL ALGERIEN of Hongkong and South China will be held in the Masonic Hall, THIS EVENING, the 17th April, 1891, at 8.30 p.m. precisely.

All Royal Arch Masons, Members of Victoria Chapter, are also cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, April 17, 1891. 773

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A COMPETITION for the Short Range Handicap CHALLENGE CUP and SPOONS will be held on SATURDAY NEXT, the 15th INSTANT, commencing at 3.15 p.m. Ranges—500 and 900 Yards, usual conditions.

A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2.45 p.m. to convey Competitors.

FRANK COLLINS,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, April 14, 1891. 776

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAI. REGISTERED OFFICE, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

MR. THEODOR LUTZ leaving China, the authority given him to Sign our Firm by Procuration has been WITHDRAWN. Mr. MAX RIETH has been authorized to Sign our Firm by Procuration.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between HOLMES & RODDY, SOLICITORS, is DISSOLVED to-day by Mutual Consent.

HENRY J. HOLMES,
ARTHUR B. RODDY.

Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will CARRY ON BUSINESS at his OFFICE, No. 54, QUEEN'S ROAD.

HENRY J. HOLMES,
Solicitor.

14th April, 1891. 776

NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY OPENED A BRANCH OF our Firm at HANKOW.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, March 19, 1891. 560

For Sale.

FOR SALE. CHEAP! TO CLEAR.

A QUANTITY of LADY'S WATER-PROOF of different qualities, from \$2.50 each upwards.

G. B. LAMBERT,
Undertaker, Street.

Hongkong, March 13, 1891. 507

TO LET.

TOGETHER or Subdivided, Suite of THREE OFFICES on the First Floor, and GODOWN on the Ground Floor of the ICE COMPANY'S PREMISES in Ice House Lane.

Apply to the MANAGER at the Depot, or to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, April 7, 1891. 710

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO LET.

KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOWLOON.

HOUSES, with 5 ROOMS, including Bath, Toilet, and Kitchen. Good view and healthy situation. Rent and Taxes, \$32 a month.

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.,
Hongkong, March 24, 1891. 607

TO BE LET SHORTLY.

A NICE and comfortable and Cool Six-Roomed HOUSE.

Apply to the SECRETARY, Humphrey's Estate and Finance Company, Limited.

Hongkong, April 4, 1891.

TO BE LET or SOLD.

On favourable terms, with immediate Possession.

EIGHT HOUSES at 'MOUNTAIN VIEW,' Peak District, near Plover's Gap. If sold, part of the Purchase money can remain on Mortgage.

Apply to

JOHN A. JUPP,
Secretary,
The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Ltd.

Hongkong, October 4, 1890. 2292

TO LET.

With immediate Possession.

OFFICES (above Messrs. DOUGLAS LAIDLAK & Co.'s Premises).

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.,
Hongkong, December 16, 1890. 2184

TO LET.

SUITABLE for OFFICES—7 ROOMS on the First Floor, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, No. 8—to be let together or singly.

Apply to

P. BOHM,
Window House.

Hongkong, March 17, 1891. 647

TO LET AT THE PEAK. (PARTLY FURNISHED).

"BROCKHURST" a detached Residence situated upon Mount COCOON, about seven minutes' walk from Plantation Road Station and from which is obtained a magnificent view of the Harbour and out to Sea. The HOUSE contains Drawing-rooms, Dining-rooms, four Bedrooms, Day and Bath-rooms, &c., and has a Tennis Ground attached, which will be put in order at the Landlord's expense if the house be taken for a year.

Immediate Possession.

For further particulars apply to

FALMER & TURNER,
Architects, &c.
No. 5, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 752

TO LET.

NOS. 9 & 11, STYMON TERRACE, No. 4, Old Bailey Street. ROOMS in COLLIER CHAMBERS. OFFICES and CHAMBERS in CONNAUGHT HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS, No. 2, PRINCE'S HILL.

Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Hongkong, April 10, 1891. 231

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

MR. THEODOR LUTZ leaving China, the authority given him to Sign our Firm by Procuration has been WITHDRAWN. Mr. MAX RIETH has been authorized to Sign our Firm by Procuration.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891.

ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between HOLMES & RODDY, SOLICITORS, is DISSOLVED to-day by Mutual Consent.

HENRY J. HOLMES,
ARTHUR B. RODDY.

Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will CARRY ON BUSINESS at his OFFICE, No. 54, QUEEN'S ROAD.

HENRY J. HOLMES,
Solicitor.

14th April, 1891. 776

NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY OPENED A BRANCH OF our Firm at HANKOW.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, March 19, 1891. 560

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c., &c.

THE UNDERSIGNED has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 18th April, 1891, at 2.30 p.m., sharp, at the Residence of, Capt. HARRIS, No. 6, Richmond Terrace,

THE WHOLE of HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:—

TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, CENTER TABLE, COTTAGE PIANO, PICTURES, LACE CURTAINS, FENDERS and IRONS, &c., &c.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, WHATNOTS, GLASS BACK SIDE BOARD, ELECTRO PLATED, GLASS and CROCKERY-WARE, CUTLERY, &c., &c.

DOUBLED IRON BEDSTEAD with PATENT WIRE MATTRESS, &c., &c.; MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND, and DRESSING TABLE, WARDROBE with MIRROR FRONT, BED-ROOM FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c.

Also, A JAPANESE RICKSHA, nearly new. FLOWERS and PLANTS in POTS, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale, and the above will be on view on Friday P.M.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 760

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE UNDERSIGNED has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 20th April, 1891, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, QUEEN'S ROAD,

SUNDY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., (Property of a Gentleman giving up House-keeping), comprising:—

MARBLE-TOP MADE MARBLE-TOP SIDEBOARD with BEVELLED GLASS BACK, MARBLE-TOP DRESSING TABLE and WASHSTAND, MARBLE-TOP DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, DINING TABLE, DINING WAGGONS, HANGING WARDROBE and CAMPELWOOD CHEST of DRAWERS.

TWO FULL-SIZE BRASS BEDSTEADS with WIRE MATTRESSES.

MINOR TOILET SETS, INVALID RECLINING CHAIR, ADJUSTABLE READING TABLE, and MARBLE-TOP TABLES.

DINING, Dessert and Tea SERVICES, and GLASS-WARE, ONE RICH AXMINSTER CARPET 18 1/2 x 14 1/2.

Also, SUNDY OTHER FURNITURE, and ONE JINRICKSHA and ONE COOKING RANGE.

ONE WASHING MACHINE.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 17, 1891. 769

Shipping.

Steamers.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

The Co.'s Steamship *Changsha*, Capt. J. B. WILLIAMS, Comd'g, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th INSTANT.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamship. First-class Saloon and Cabin are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 749

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for KINPOO, CHEKOW, NEW CHIWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Myrmidon*, Captain NELSON, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th INSTANT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. 763

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM, JEDDA, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE and Fiume.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to GALATZ, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Maria Teresa*, Capt. B. DESSA, will be despatched as above on the 21st INSTANT, at Noon.

Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, April 8, 1891. 714

Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Vergara*, Capt. F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places "TO-MORROW, the 18th INSTANT, at Daylight."

E. L. WOODIN,
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 17, 1891. 709

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Entertainments.

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL.

THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

BORN AND SULLIVAN'S COMIC OPERA.

"THE CONTRABANDIST."

OR

"THE LAW OF THE LADRONES."

SATURDAY, 18th April,

MONDAY, 20th April.

CHARACTERS:

Count Vaquez.....Mr. G. P. LAMBERT.

Sancho.....Mr. G. J. HOLLIDAY.

Jose.....Mr. R. SMYTH.

Mr. Gigg.....Mr. GORDON.

Mrs. Gigg.....Miss LAMBERT.

The Clerk.....Miss LAMBERT.

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Notices to Consignees.

FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG,

BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

THE STEAMSHIP "BANDER,"

having arrived from the above Ports,

Consignees of Goods are hereby informed

that their Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG

Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,

Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

22nd Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all

Claims for damages and/or shortages not

later than the 29th Instant, otherwise they

will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, April 16, 1891. 789

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "PLINTSHIRE," FROM

HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON

AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-

formed that all Goods are being

landed at their risk into the Godowns of

the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-

pany, at Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

19th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all

Claims for damages and/or shortages not

later than the 25th Instant, otherwise they

will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. 792

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "ALBANY," FROM

GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PENANG

AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-

formed that all Goods are being

landed at their risk into the Godowns of

the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-

pany, at Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

19th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all

Claims for damages and/or shortages not

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Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. 796

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LIVERPOOL AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship "Kaisow,"

having arrived from the above Ports,

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed

that their Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG

Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,

Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

19th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all

Claims for damages and/or shortages not

later than the 25th Instant, otherwise they

will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 748

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "PREUSSEN," FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

OF CALL.

THE above-named Steamer having ar-

rived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

informed that their Goods, with the excep-

tion of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are

being landed and stored at their risk into

the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOW-

LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD.,

Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai

unless notice to the contrary be given before

4 p.m. This afternoon, the 16th Instant.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining undelivered after the 23rd

Instant will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 18th Instant, at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and

any Goods remaining in the Godowns after

the 18th Instant will be subject to rent.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

less notice to the contrary be given before

4 p.m. To-day.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

MELOCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, April 15, 1891. 784

To-day's Advertisements.

CANTON DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 39.

Whampoa Buoys (Li-sha) Pits

carried away.

NOTICE is hereby given that a steamer

of Pits on both sides of the passage

through this Buoys has been carried

away. Masters of Vessels are cautioned

not to approach too near either of the

buoys, but to steer a mid-course through the

passage.

J. H. M. Y.

Harbour Master.

Approved: F. E. WOODRUFF,

Commissioner.

CUSTOM HOUSE,

Canton, 16th April, 1891. 792

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

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CHEMISTS & AERATED

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DAKIN'S SODA WATER

Equal to

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IN LARGEST BOMBAY SIZE

BOTTLES,

60 Cents per dozen.

DISCOUNT TO CLUBS, MESSES and

HOTELS.

Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD

CENTRAL. 636

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 16, 1891:

Aochi, British steamer, 1,056 T. Rowin,

Saigon April 12, Rice—MELCHERS & Co.

April 17:

Dixma, German steamer, 965 T. Chris-

tensen, Saigon April 12, Rice—Geo. R.

Stevens & Co.

Diamante, British steamer, 514 T. J. C.

Gardner, Manila April 14, General—RUS-

SELL & Co.

Nanna, British steamer, 863 T. Goddard,

Penang April 12, Amoy 14, and Swatow

16, General—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

City of Peking, American steamer, 3,129 T.

R. R. Smith, San Francisco March 21, and

Yokohama April 11, Manila and General—

P. M. S. S. Co.

Sikh, British steamer, 1,733 T. Rowley,

Saigon April 13, Rice and General—ADAM-

SON, BELL & Co.

Taichow, German steamer, 825 T. J.

Duhme, Shanghai April 13, Rice—MEYER

& Co.

Swatow, British steamer, 994 T. Dodd,

Swatow April 16, General—BUTTERFIELD

& Swire.

White Heather, British steam-yacht, 687 T.

Canton, Singapore April 9.

Myrmidon, British steamer, 1,816 T. R.

Nelson, Liverpool March 2, and Hongkong

April 11, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

DEPARTURES.

April 17:

Benali, for Saigon.

Sungking, for Whampoa.

Tuchow, for Whampoa.

Chowchow, for Chafco.

Sichan, for Swatow.

Yung Ping, for Shanghai.

CLEARED.

Diamante, for Amoy and Manila.

Benali, for Saigon.

Triumph, for Hoihow.

Guthrie, for Nagasaki.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED:

Per Diamante, from Manila, Messrs Bay-

ley, Davis and Milnes, and 20 Chinese.

Per Nanna, from Canton, Messrs

Daly, Hynes, Muller, Lam Yau Ling, and

25 Chinese.

City of Peking, from San Francisco,

Mr. Purvis, Mrs. Faxon, Miss McCallan,

Mrs. X. Hill, Messrs T. B. Cunningham, O. S.

Moore, and 83 Chinese.

Per Taichow, from Shanghai, 3 Shang-

hai, Miss Robinson, and 11 Chinese.

Per White Heather, from Singapore, Mr.

R. C. Leigh (owner), and Mrs. Leigh, Messrs

Fitzpatrick, John Byre, J. Hornsby, J.

Hyde, P. G. Moore, and Dr. Cross.

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REVIEW OF A CROWN COLONY.—In the House of Commons on the 13th March, Sir T. B. Spence asked the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies whether he was aware that considerable friction existed between the officials of the Crown Colony of Hong Kong and the Chinese Government, and whether the Government intended to take any steps to remove the friction. Sir T. B. Spence also asked whether the Government intended to take any steps to remove the friction between the officials of the Crown Colony of Hong Kong and the Chinese Government.

The Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. J. A. Salway, replied that he was aware of the friction between the officials of the Crown Colony of Hong Kong and the Chinese Government, and that the Government intended to take steps to remove the friction. He said that the Government had already taken steps to remove the friction between the officials of the Crown Colony of Hong Kong and the Chinese Government.

THE FORMOSA TRADING CORPORATION.

The Formosa Trading Corporation's steamer *Formosa* has been undergoing a thorough overhaul at Hongkong Docks. The ship is a 1,200-ton vessel, and is a member of the Formosa Steamship Co. The ship is a 1,200-ton vessel, and is a member of the Formosa Steamship Co.

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THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY.

An extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Peak Hotel and Trading Company was held at the Hongkong Hotel on Thursday, the 10th inst., at 3 o'clock. The meeting was presided over by Messrs J. B. Coughlin (Chairman), A. P. Stokes, James Anderson, J. de S. W. Stokes, and J. de S. W. Stokes.

The Chairman said that the meeting was called for the purpose of considering the report of the directors and the accounts of the company for the year ending 31st December 1890. The report of the directors was read, and was found to be satisfactory.

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DETAILS OF THE LOSS OF THE UTOPIA.

Gibraltar, March 16.—The officers and crew of the British ironclad *Utopia*, which was wrecked on the rocks of the Utopia, are now being rescued. The ship was wrecked on the rocks of the Utopia, and the crew are now being rescued.

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TELEGRAMS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

London, March 17.—Gladstone received a telegram from the Prime Minister of the United States, Mr. Cleveland, on the 16th inst. The telegram was a personal one, and was signed by Mr. Cleveland.

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THE MAYOR AND GARRISON OF VALPARAISO.

Buenos Aires, March 16.—A dispatch received here from Valparaiso states that Mayor Valdovinos of that city has gone over to the insurgents after winning over to their cause the garrison, which deserted the fort after spiking the guns.

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